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AMEMBASSY BEIRUT NIACT IMMEDIATE

AMEMBASSY KHARTOUM NIACT IMMEDIATE

AMEMBASSY ROME NIACT IMMEDIATE

INFO AMEMBASSY JIDDA

AMEMBASSY KUWAIT

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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PINS, PFOR, ET, US

SUBJECT: KAGNEW FOUR: EPMG RESPONSE TO US REPRESENTATION

REF: A) ADDIS ABABA 11972, B) STATE 241608

THERE FOLLOWS VERBATIM TEXT OF EPMG'S RESPONSE TO
AMBASSADOR'S REPRESENTATIONS REPORTED REF. A.
RESPONSE DELIVERED VERBALLY TO POL COUNSELOR BY
MOFA'S ACTING AMERICAN AFFAIRS DIRECTOR.

BEGIN QUOTE: REGARDING YESTERDAY'S MEETING THE
EPMG HAS STUDIED THE MESSAGE CONVEYED BY THE AMERICAN
AMBASSADOR AND HAS NO REPEAT NO COMMENT FOR THE
MOMENT UPON ITS SUBSTANCE. THE EPMG WOULD APPRECIATE
BEING KEPT INFORMED OF DEVELOPMENTS REGARDING THE
DIALOGUE. END QUOTE.

COMMENT:

1. WE HAVE IMPRESSION MOFA HAS YET TO RECEIVE

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REPORT FROM FONMIN KIFLE WODAJA OF LATTER'S

CONVERSATION WITH SECRETARY DAVIS (REF B).

2. TENOR OF EPMG STATEMENT SUGGESTS THAT DIRG
REMAINS UNSURE OF SIGNIFICANCE THESE DEVELOPMENTS
TO ITS INTERESTS AND IS KEEPING ITS OPTIONS OPEN.
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